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**READY TO SPRING** - A hot fuzzy bunny suit, lots of candy and indoor temperatures test the will of James the Bunny and his ability to sit still during a Ross Ford School Easter assembly.

Jodi Styner/Didsbury Review

## DHS grad changes upsets parents, students

*One parent planning her own dinner to honour grads*

BY JODI STYNER  
Didsbury Review

Changes to this year's high school graduation ceremonies have some students and parents so upset that one parent has decided to take the matter into her own hands.

Anne Bauer was disappointed to find out there would be no graduation dinner this year and that the ceremonies, traditionally held in the arena, would be moved into the new school instead.

So she's holding her own dinner at the Memorial Complex after the school ceremonies June 29.

"My main concern is that these kids didn't have a last meal together as has always been done," said Bauer.

"There just isn't room at the high school, so I've gone off on my own and I've booked the Multi-Purpose room so the kids can have a dinner and all their invited guests can attend."

The dinner will be a casual, beef on a bun meal and the students will be asked to supply a salad.

"It's not going to be fancy because I'm trying not to step on anyone's toes, number one, and I'm trying to keep it cost-effective," said Bauer.

Jay Tesky, who also has a son graduating and shares Bauer's concerns, has offered to supply all of the food and condiments at cost.

DHS principal Steve Thompson said the excitement around this year's changes are taking away from what it's really about, which is an opportunity for the school to recognize the achievements of its students.

He said this year's grad, like every other year, will be a "sincere, professional, high level ceremony" the grads and their families can be proud of.

Grad committee advisor Annette Worth agreed, adding that there are a lot of rumours and misconceptions floating around about this year's graduation, but there really aren't as many changes being made as some people may think.

"Really just the biggest change is that it's one day and it's at the high school instead of the arena this year," she said.

The committee is still working out the details, but a Grand March is still in the plans, she added.

"We're going to try to do something like a Grand March. It might not be as big and fancy, but there will be something like that," said Worth.

Thompson said in past years they simply didn't have the facilities to run a graduation that was truly connected to the school and now they do.

"We know we don't have the seating capacity, but when you look at the actual number of seats we can do in the school, and the ability to use the open area and the library, we think we can do a great job at it," he said.

"Moving it to the school has been difficult, but I think it's the right thing to do."

Still, Bauer is concerned there won't be enough room for extended family, like grandparents to attend, and she feels that is unfair to the kids.

"It's all about your last big event of Grade 12," she said.

"I mean, graduating is a big thing, right? It's huge. You wait a long time for that."

Tickets for the dinner are \$10 and can be purchased by calling Anne Bauer at 507-0988.

"I'm making sure it coincides with what the grad committee has planned, so we'll just pick up and head over to the arena afterwards," she said.

"I'm hoping all the grads participate."

*"It's all about your last big event of Grade 12... you wait a long time for that."*

ANNE BAUER  
DHS parent

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# Didsbury couple wins grand prize

Winners say buying STARS tickets wasn't about the prize

BY JODI STYNER  
Didsbury Review

When Joanne Braun got a phone call from a friend at 7:30 a.m. March 30 to say she'd won a grand prize in the STARS Lottery, her first reaction was "yeah right."

After all, nobody from STARS had called.

But then the phone rang a second time.

"Can I get a loan?" another friend asked.

Braun cut the call short because she was in a hurry to get to Red Deer to pick up a sound system for the Didsbury Trade Show.

As she was running out the door, the phone rang a third time. She left her husband Brian to man the phone.

Braun didn't get a mile up the road before her cell phone rang.

"Joanne! I heard you won the truck and trailer!" She started thinking it must be real, or it was one very organized practical joke.

Another two miles up the road, her cell phone rang again. This time it was Brian calling to say STARS had confirmed what everyone else already seemed to know.

Yes, they were in fact the winners of Grand Prize #6: a 2007 Chevrolet Silverado pickup and a 2007 Citation Supreme 5th wheel trailer, worth more than \$122,000 retail.

"I'm still a little stunned," Braun said of the win.

"It's just surreal. I mean, other people win."

Ironically, the Brauns were in the market for an RV and were just waiting to

see the selection at the Didsbury Trade Show that weekend before making a purchase.

And just three weeks prior to the big win, Joanne turned down a good deal

**"It's just surreal. I mean, other people win."**

**JOANNE BRAUN**  
STARS Lottery winner

on a new truck because she wasn't crazy about the burnt copper colour.

As the operator of two Curves locations, in Didsbury and Innisfail,

she's on the road a lot and her 2002 truck was going to need to be replaced before long.

Unfortunately, when the Brauns travelled to Camrose to see the truck and holiday trailer this past Easter weekend, they found that both were too high for Joanne to get in and out of comfortably, due to several knee surgeries.

But they will get a cash payout instead, which they may use for a better-suited truck and RV.

While thrilled with the win, the Brauns say buying the tickets wasn't about the prize.

"We've always bought tickets," said Brian.

"We have friends whose lives have been saved by STARS."

The couple has entered

the draw every year for 17 years.

They've also supported the STARS foundation in other ways.

As members of the Carstairs 4-H committee, they helped organize a fundraiser that saw \$6,600 raised for STARS through the sale of a steer.

"So whatever we can do for STARS, we do it," said Brian.

And when Joanne had her salon in Didsbury from 1989-1999, she ran an annual hair cut fundraiser during the Trade Show and gave the money to various charities, including STARS.

"You just do," Joanne said of her decision to support STARS.

"If you win something, great but you're going to donate anyway."

## Pothole fix is coming

BY PAUL FREY  
Didsbury Review

Public works crews in the area are doing all they can at present to prevent potholes from causing problems for motorists.

As of the end of March, there was approximately five feet of frost underground in Didsbury meaning it will be about two months before they can fill the holes with asphalt. But the public works and utilities department is nonetheless taking a proactive approach while it waits for the puddles to dry and frost to be out of the ground. Dale Kiesman, manager of the public works and utilities department, said they are filling holes where they can.

"In the meantime, what we have been doing is using a gravel product," he said.

Kiesman said the normal procedure is to address main streets first, starting with the most severe problems, then moving down the street and filling in the minor ones before moving on to the next street. He said if members of the public works department can get to a hole relatively early in the season, they can limit the potential for a larger crater.

"We address potholes 12 months a year whether winter or summer," he said. "We do budget for that (on a yearly basis)."

Everyone in the community has a role to play in keeping infrastructure in good condition, he said. The town regularly receives reports from citizens, and town staff pass those requests on to maintenance staff who check out the problems while performing other duties. When they have time, they fill in the holes deemed the largest priority.

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# Search and Rescue applies for central, secure structure

BY JODI STYNER  
Didsbury Review

When Didsbury Search and Rescue gets a call its 30 volunteers spring into action, gathering together all the necessary equipment.

But with that equipment currently scattered all over the county in several separate locations, deployment isn't always as speedy as it could be, according to the organization's president, Bob Wigton.

"It takes us awhile to get it together," said Wigton.

Security is another concern.

The group has procured hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of equipment through fundraising efforts.

Things like a 54-passenger bus, a long storage trailer, a van and four-wheel drive vehicles are all sitting at various members' homes.

"If you've got \$200,000 worth of equipment sitting in your yard and you have a fire go through or something, that's a concern," said Wigton.

With the support of local RCMP and

county council, the group is hoping to construct a storage building in a central secure location on county-owned land in Water Valley.

"The reason we picked Water Valley is because about 60 per cent of our members are from the west end of our system," said Wigton.

Didsbury Search and Rescue is affiliated with the Didsbury RCMP detachment and follows the same boundary.

Wigton said the other benefit of a location in Water Valley is that many of the calls Search and

**BOB WIGTON**  
president Didsbury  
Search and Rescue

Rescue gets are related to things like lost hunters in the wooded areas near there.

Tony Martens, manager of legislative services with Mountain View County, said Administration supports the structure, but it will still have to go through the planning process.

Once the development permit is in place, Martens said county will have to decide what it plans to do with the building if Search and Rescue ever vacates it, because it will be a permanent structure on county land.

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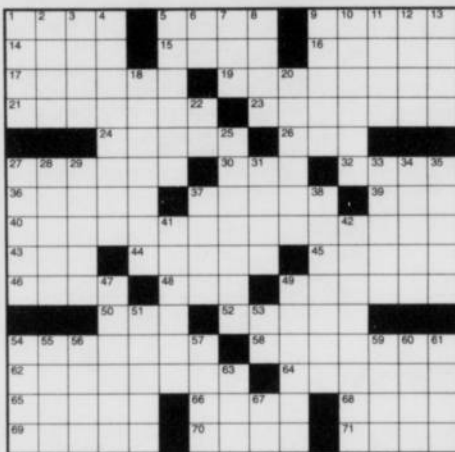


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71. Sandy piece of seashore (Br.)  
CLUES DOWN

- Utter sounds
- Puerto
- Hollies
- Retort
- Racehorses
- Blood group
- Data executive (abbr.)
- Vipers
- Kind of elephant
- A state of extreme confusion
- Song for soloist
- ...otomy; open the skull
- Philosopher
- Give off
- Of this
- In the year of Our Lord
- Curving over
- A decorative fall of cloth
- Lower in esteem
- ...bel's Canon
- Russian city
- Venezuelan river
- Polynesian wrapped skirt
- Winter rides
- Favorite tree topper
- Intestines
- Egg mixture cooked until just set
- Simple in line or design
- Sarcasm
- Of one celled animal
- Mary mourning Jesus
- Instinctive part of psyche
- Scholarship; Yiddish author
- One of the Earth's layers
- Frosts
- Eat until satisfied
- A thin flat slab of fired clay
- British School
- Monetary unit, W. Samoa
- Lenient
- Exist

### CLUES ACROSS

- Clapton, musician
- Large burrowing rodent
- Having the wind against the forward side
- Small drought-resistant grain sorghum
- Obeahs
- Junipero, Spanish priest
- They delivered before refrigeration
- Limbless scaly reptile
- Abnormal condition of pregnancy
- Used to form a hard coating on a porous surface
- Maryam of Ethiopia
- Ribonucleic acid
- Any of several varnishes
- Fish eggs
- Diagrams of the Earth's surface
- Manila hemp
- Young Atlantic cod
- Crony
- M.J. Fox film
- ...kosh, near Lake Winnebago
- Paddled
- Golf ball supporters
- Sea eagle
- Farewells
- Applied Physics Laboratory (abbr.)
- The 3rd letter of the Hebrew alphabet
- Friendlinesses
- Assign a designation to
- Social
- Mineral form of Barium Sulphate
- Type of rock
- Japanese socks
- N.C. college
- Minor Hebrew prophet



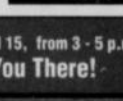
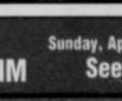
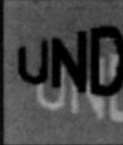
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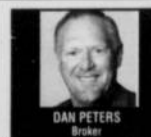
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And now, starting this week, I will be the new editor of the Mountain View Gazette, breaking my own previous record (in a contest that, incidentally, has few competitors, but I'll take what I can get).

I'm looking forward to the move and the challenges ahead, but I will miss Didsbury too.

I will miss Didsbury's beauty. It's the first thing I noticed about the town and that image will remain.

From Gord Fulton's awesome restoration of the old J.V. Berscht building that now houses his flower shop, to the charming bakery that has the ability to calm me instantly, to the amazing museum, Didsbury's architecture truly inspires.

Not enough can be said about the dedicated people who keep the museum going. They do a tremendous job of preserving Didsbury's rich history and sitting down with them is always a pleasure.

As is sitting down to coffee and homemade cookies with Joyce Mullen, a woman every town should be so lucky to have. She is arguably the single best resource for information and her stories are mesmerizing.

The same goes for Noreen Olson and Margaret Fradley, who share their stories with me, and you, every week.

I will forever remember interviewing the world's best bus driver, the barber in hot demand, and two women, aged 52 and 65, who challenged the grueling West Coast Trail.

The various events that bring Didsbury residents together and attract out-of-towners in droves must be mentioned as well.

First there's the annual fair and rodeo. From the pancake breakfasts, to the parade, to the rodeo itself, this is an event unmatched by others I've experienced, and I've experienced many.

The Trade Show draws a bigger crowd in two days than the Olds show does in four, a commendable feat that takes incredible organization.

Then there's the Rosebud Run Sled Dog race. The almost deafening symphony of howls echoing through the valley and the palpable energy at the site are incredible.

I was extremely lucky to get the opportunity to spend a morning with the Wannamaker family who so graciously invited me into their world of dog sled racing and even took me for a ride. My dad is still jealous.

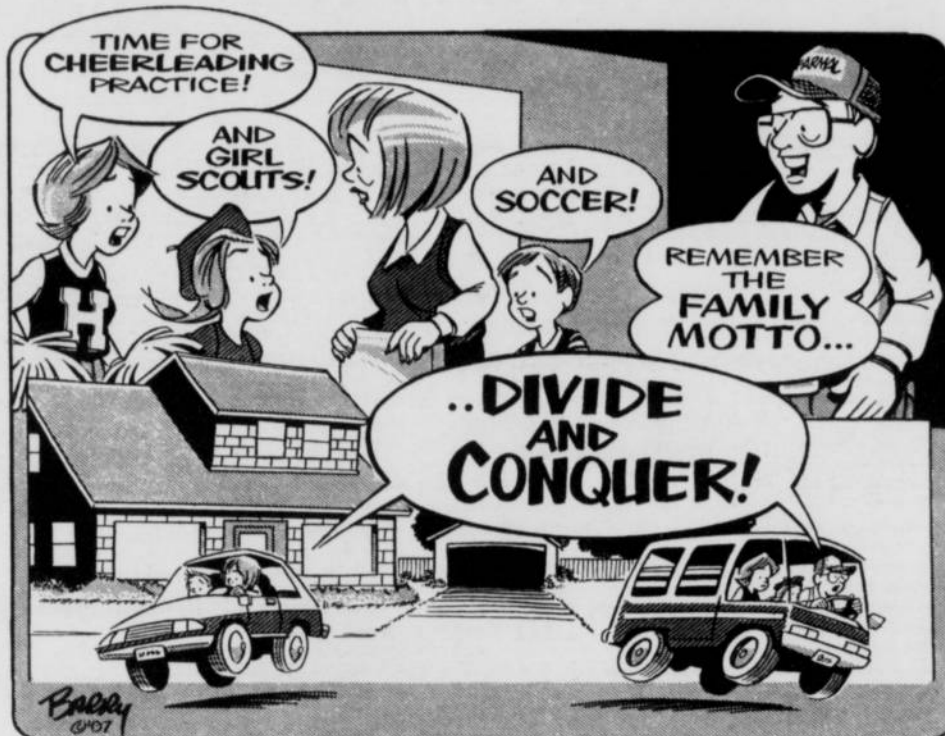
And finally, as I pack up my piles of paper and head north to Olds, I will have to say goodbye to my fabulous, fabulous, fabulous co-workers.

Without them, I wouldn't ever get a paper out. Because of them, I am still relatively sane despite a sometimes insane job.

Didsbury is very lucky to be welcoming Stephanie Myles to the paper. She is a great reporter, coming down from Olds, and I have no doubt she will do a wonderful job as your eyes and ears to the community.

-Jodi Styner

# Opinion



## Letter to the editor

### Curfew a form of repression

Imagine a Jewish child getting off a train in Germany (circa 1943).

Imagine a Negro child sitting at the back of an Alabama bus in 1959.

Imagine an Indian child the first day he or she wakes up in a residential school. Imagine a Japanese child being uprooted from his or her Canadian home. Imagine an East German child staring at a wall.

Imagine all of the people throughout history who have had their freedom restricted and, in some cases their lives threatened, not because they committed a crime but because they fit within a certain grouping. For every example, a powerful group has imposed its will on members of a less powerful group. Whatever rationale, if any, is espoused, power

and control dynamics are ever present.

Imagine a Town Council meeting in Didsbury. Imagine the year is 2006. A group of people of a certain age (over 30) and status (elected officials) is entertaining the idea of imposing restrictions on the freedom of local young people.

Please pay attention to a detail that may not be readily visible. People under the age of 18 don't have the power of the vote. The option of expressing displeasure (or satisfaction, for that matter) through the ballot is not available to them. What may be more visible is that Council is prepared to take a broad brush approach to controlling youth. After all, a curfew doesn't

distinguish between law-abiding youth and law-breaking youth.

This image of Council is unsettling for me. The similarities between youth curfews and other forms of repression are too close for comfort. Even if it is said that curfews are on the less severe end of the scale, that doesn't mean they are without risk.

If youth crime and community safety continue to be areas of concern in Didsbury, let's open up the discussion. Better options will be found. We'll also find ways to acknowledge the contributions that young residents make to the community.

Peter Versluys  
Didsbury

## PONDERINGS OF THE HEART

### Taking Time

BY MARGARET FRADLEY  
For the Review

Writing this, I was reflecting on how often I miss seeing and appreciating the everyday beauty surrounding us. It is a beautiful morning, the snow is falling ever so gently; it is quiet and peaceful, and as we need to go out, we see the unique snowflakes on our windshield. There are no two alike, and this is such a reminder that there

are no two of us alike - all different, all special.

Then I recall that just the other day, the snow was coming down very lightly and then suddenly, for a few brief moments, the sun came out, catching the snowflakes, making them appear like diamonds, glittering and filling me with a sense of such thanks.

Then viewing the white expanse of snow from our fourth storey window, I was tempted to go out, lie in

the snow, as I did many times as a child, and make angel wings. However, I was quickly brought back to reality, recognizing that if I did that, it might be fun to get down there, but there is no way I could have gotten up. So much for "old age".

Just a few things to ponder, to realize that each day brings us special blessings if we but take the time to see and take note of them. How much we have to be thankful for.

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# Muslims plan area multi-faith meeting

*Community religious leaders invited to speak about social peace*

BY STEPHANIE MYLES  
For the Didsbury Review

An international Muslim organization is planning a multi-faith symposium in Olds this May.

Members of the Ahmadiyya Muslim Community spoke to Olds town council recently to introduce their organization and its mission.

The symposium will invite religious leaders in the community to speak about social peace in the hope of finding common ground among different belief systems.

"At the end of the day, we really find that there are more commonalities in religions than differences," said Naseem Mahdi, the organization's president in Canada.

"We can learn to very respectfully disagree with one another, but there is no point in fighting when we believe in God and believe in goodness."

The symposium is tentatively planned for May 16 at Olds College, as part of a larger tour of the entire province over the next five years.

"We are going to almost every big and small town,

and Olds is a beautiful small town," said Mahdi.

The Ahmadiyya Muslim Community organized multi-faith conferences in Cochrane and Medicine Hat conducted last week.

One of the group's main purposes is to educate the



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**NASEEM MAHDI**  
national president, Ahmadiyya Muslim Community

world about Islam.

"People have the tendency of painting everybody with the same brush," said Mahdi.

"Islam is a religion of peace and the word Islam means peace, and a religion that means peace cannot condone ruthless terrorism."

The organization has been hosting similar conferences in Canada for the past 26 years.

Mahdi said the Alberta Muslim community is thriving, as evidenced by the ongoing construction of Canada's largest mosque in Calgary.

"The community in Alberta is not very big as compared to Toronto and Ontario, but it is a very vibrant community."

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Wednesday, April 18, 2007—Council Chambers at 4:30 pm

### DIDSBURY LIFELINE SOCIETY:

Monday, June 11, 2007 at 10:00 a.m.— Council Chambers

## COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE

Saturday, April 28, 2007 from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

At the Didsbury Curling Rink—Tables are \$10/each

Book early to avoid disappointment.

Call 335-8719 to book your table.

## PUBLIC WORKS ANNOUNCEMENT

Pot Hole Crew will be out as weather permits.

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**DIDSBURY  
NEIGHBORHOOD PLACE**

• **RED CROSS BABYSITTING COURSE**— Friday, April 13 from 9 am to 5 pm at DNP. Ages 11 and up. Cost is \$50/child. Call 335-8719 to register.

• **ALL OCCASION CARD WORKSHOP**— Saturday, April 14 from 1-4 pm at DNP. Make 25 cards (5 each of 5 styles) for only \$35. Call 335-8719 to register.

• **YOUR MONEY 101** - Your roadmap to financial freedom! Wednesday, April 18 from 7-8:30 pm at DNP. \$10/person or \$15/couple. 335-8719 to register.

For more info, call DNP at 335-8719.

Spring and Easter Schedules for the  
Didsbury Memorial Complex & Aquatic Centre  
can be found online at: [www.didsbury.ca](http://www.didsbury.ca)



## COMMUNITY CHOOSEWELL CHALLENGE!

Exercise your way "back home from the coast" in a free, friendly competition loaded with great prizes!

Kick-off April 20—6:30 to 7:30 pm. Free Swim & Supper when you sign up for the challenge!

Register at the Didsbury Aquatic Centre, Curves for Women or Fitness FX



photo submitted

**FRANK MURPHY MEMORIAL** – The Youngs family – Bonnie, Branton, and Brent – are presented the Frank Murphy Memorial family award for outstanding dedication and commitment to DMHA.



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**AWARD** – Will Hadway presents a gift to Bill and Margo Ward in recognition of their many years of support and service to Didsbury Minor Hockey Association at the awards banquet, March 26.

## Minor hockey awards handed out

### 2007 DMHA Award Recipients:

#### Tyke

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#### Novice

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#### Atom

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Most dedicated - Tim Kreuter, Ty Sawatsky  
Most improved - Ian Peterson  
Most Sportsman - Julian Gerber, Dylan Coney  
MVP - Zac Overwater, Colin Northcott

#### PeeWee

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Most dedicated - Travis Smith  
Most Improved - Sawyer Topping  
Most Sportsman - Daniel Graff  
MVP - Dylan Wallace, Miaja Lappala

#### Bantam

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Most dedicated - Brayden Snyder  
Most Improved - Justin Gebers  
Most Sportsman - James Lefebvre  
Vanda MVP - Cody Krebs  
Spirit of Sport - Will Hadway

#### Midget

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Most dedicated - Jeff Kerr  
Most Improved - Tyler Lahucik  
Most Sportsman - Colby Wenckowski  
MVP - Mike Howden, Randy Hunter  
Unsung Hero - Kelly Kohut

#### Other Awards

JR Ref - Cody Werstiuk, Taylor Vosler  
SR Ref - Joe Guenther  
Ron Gooding Memorial - Atom Ramblers,  
Midget Ramblers  
John Cowan Coach of the Year - Brent Youngs  
Marty Krebs Outstanding Goalie - Dylan Wallace  
Frank Murphy Family of the Year - Youngs Family

## Curves members boost food bank supplies

BY JODI STYNER  
Didsbury Review

Curves members in Didsbury have collected 1,150 pounds of food for the local food bank, surpassing their goal by more than 300 pounds.

"Our goal was to get 800 lb of food, because that was what we got last year," said Curves operator Joanne Braun.

And her Innisfail location brought in 1,700 lb.

"I'm pretty thrilled with these ladies."

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They've done a  
fabulous job."**

JOANNE BRAUN  
Didsbury Curves.

They've done a fabulous job," said Braun. "We just provided the venue. It's the ladies that did it."

The month-long fundraiser involved all Curves locations across the world.

Worldwide last year, Curves facilities brought in more than 11 million pounds of food.

With more Curves locations opening up this year, that number is expected to grow.

For her part, Braun waived the \$200 Curves registration fee for anyone who brought in a food bank donation.

And her members brought in food and cash donations when they came in to work out.

"This is a great time of the year for the food banks because their Christmas supplies are depleted," said Braun.

### THANK YOU DIDSBURY MINOR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

Thank you so much to the Board and Families of Didsbury Minor Hockey for the honour bestowed on us at your banquet on Monday night. It has always been a pleasure to help Minor Hockey whenever we could as we feel hockey and all other sports in Didsbury are a very important part of our town. Sports play a vital roll in the development of our children, teaching them sportsmanship, respect of others, and how to deal appropriately when faced with adversity. We had a wonderful time at the banquet and were thrilled and surprised at the wonder gift presented to us. It will have a place of honour with our other memories of hockey in Didsbury.

Thank you  
Margo and Bill Ward



Jodi Styner/Didsbury Review

Didsbury Curves owner Joanne Braun (right) and Curves member Esther Anderson sit with the 1,150 pounds of food the gym's members raised for the Mountain View Food Bank during the month of March. This is the fourth year Didsbury Curves has been involved in the worldwide fundraiser and Anderson has helped Braun every year.



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While the recreational aspect of riding is obvious, the therapy provided by the horses is phenomenal. Because each rider is unique the certified instructors tailor the riding lesson to the individual's need while also meeting the needs of the group.

Lessons may include physical therapy, educational activities and of course actual riding skills. There are four riders

per lesson.

Each year the program holds two sessions - spring and fall - Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Each night offers three lessons for two completely different groups of riders. Mount View Special Riding Association (MVSRA) does not have its own facilities or horses and relies on the local community to meet those needs.

Horse owners volunteer their horses and haul them to the Cow Palace in Olds, provided by the Olds Agricultural Society.

Lesson volunteers help with leading the horses and sidewalking with the riders. Additional helpers assist with pre-lesson set-

up and post-lesson clean-up. Others help out on the Board of Directors and with special events such as the annual Trail Ride and Horse Show.

Preparation for this year's spring session is now underway. Both horses and volunteers are needed. Horses must attend an assessment night, April 11 starting at 5:00 p.m. (alternate times may be arranged) before being eligible to participate.

A mileage reimbursement is provided at the end of the session to help cover hauling costs.

Volunteers must attend pre-session training as well, April 11, 7:00 pm. This familiarizes them with the program as well

as gives them appropriate skills for assisting the riders.

Memberships will also be available. Riders applying for lessons must have all their forms returned by April 6.

Lesson schedules, volunteer forms, horse usage agreements and rider applications are all available at Olds Neighborhood Place.

If you would like more info or to have forms mailed to you please call Sandra, 556-7247, (board member) or Shelene, 337-2950, (instructor).

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**Rugby Hall Annual  
General Meeting**  
Monday April 16<sup>th</sup>  
7:00P.M.

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Info 335-4248

## CHR wants workers

*Rewards offered to staff for referrals*

The Calgary Health Region is now offering its staff cash rewards for referring new employees.

The CHR hopes the new Employee Referral Program, which officially begins today, will help combat a serious staffing shortage.

"We want to engage our employees as ambassadors and recruiters for the Region," said Susan Cassidy, executive director of Workforce Strategies.

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SUSAN CASSIDY  
Workforce Strategies

"Recruitment is a priority. The shortage of health-care professionals is a global issue and we

need to do all we can to ensure we continue to be leaders in health."

Each time an employee refers a successful applicant for a hard-to-fill vacancy, he or she will receive \$750, with a maximum of five referrals.

The Region estimates it will need to hire about

2,000 staff this year and that number is expected to increase as facilities expand and the new South Health Campus in Calgary is completed.

"Recruitment and retention of staff is paramount to our success," said Cassidy.

-Jodi Styner

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## Carstairs Minor Hockey is hosting the TELUS CUP

### NATIONAL MIDGET AAA CHAMPIONSHIPS

Carstairs Memorial Arena will be the site of 2 of the nineteen games scheduled for the 2007 National Midget Championships being held in Red Deer in April. This is the highest level of Midget Hockey in Canada!!

This event has not been held in Alberta since 1991, and is a showcase for many future NHL stars!

**Tuesday, April 24th, @ 7:00 pm**  
**Quebec vs West**  
**And**  
**Friday, April 27th, @ 4:00 pm**  
**Pacific vs Atlantic**

Tickets are available at **2A Gas, Carstairs Courier, Crossfield Kal Tire, or Krebs Vet in Didsbury**  
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# National Volunteer Week

**General Meeting for  
Rosebud Community Hall**  
Thursday, April 19, 2007  
7:00 p.m. Rosebud Hall

**Election of  
Executive and Directors**

## DIDSBURY MIXED SLOW PITCH LEAGUE LOOKING FOR NEW TEAMS AND PLAYERS TO JOIN.

A meeting is being held on  
April 19 at 7 p.m.  
at JD's Pub to discuss the season.  
If you are interested please contact  
Chris Dussault 335-9631,  
Jackie Shields 335-8684 before the meeting date.  
Games will be held on Tuesday and Thursday  
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## Local volunteers to be awarded

BY JODI STYNER  
Didsbury Review

With International Volunteer Week kicking off April 15, Didsbury wants to recognize its own volunteers who work tirelessly to make the community a better place to live.

The awards night, scheduled for Monday, April 16 at 7 p.m. in the Multi-purpose Room at the Memorial Complex, will include coffee and desserts and entertainment by local musical talents The Polyesters.

"We just want to really encourage as many people to come as possible. It will be a great time," said Nicole Aasen, FCSS coordinator.

"Part of the mandate of FCSS is volunteerism and this is just an opportunity for the town of Didsbury to celebrate our volunteers and the great stuff they do in our community."

Five awards will be handed out to this year's top

Volunteer, Senior Volunteer, Rural Volunteer, Volunteer Family and Outstanding Volunteer.

Aasen said there are a few notable changes to the event this year.

"I've combined with Cremona and Carstairs FCSS and we're holding it as a joint event to try and make our little FCSS dollars go further, so any volunteers from Carstairs, Cremona and Didsbury are all encouraged to attend," she said.

"Also a little different this year is you need a ticket, just to help kind of let us know what our numbers are going to look like for the night."

Tickets are available at Didsbury Neighbourhood Place, Cremona FCSS and at the Carstairs Town office.

International Volunteer Week runs from April 15-21 and was designed for the purpose of increasing awareness of the important role of volunteers, non-profit/voluntary organizations and the overall volunteer spirit of Canadian communities.

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NICOLE AASEN  
Didsbury FCSS coordinator

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**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11**

**Didsbury and District Community Bus** is going to Stage West. Bring along your laughter and your sense of humour, and enjoy a little "Nonsense"!

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Call Bea at 335-3058 or Gen at 335-3449 to reserve.

**FRIDAY, APRIL 13**

**Families of High Functioning Autism Children** are planning some activities for the kids to interact and have fun.

A games night will be held April 13 at 6 p.m. in the fire-side room at the Zion Church.

Hotdogs and juice will be provided. Feel free to bring any gaming system your child may want to share.

All family members are welcome. For further information or for car pooling availability, please contact Josee at 335-8183 or Kellie at 507-9303.

**MONDAY, APRIL 16**

**Rugby Hall Annual General Meeting** will be held Monday, April 16 at 7 p.m. Your input is needed to run this hall.

Everyone welcome.

For information call 335-4248.

**SUNDAY, APRIL 22**

**Tapestry Vocal Band** invites you to a Hymn Sing and

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**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25**

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**SATURDAY, MAY 12**

**Didsbury and District Community Bus** is going to Thoroughbred Racing at Stampede Park.

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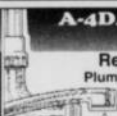
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are invited to join The Friends of the Library to help us plan events and activities to commemorate this exciting milestone.

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\* as a trustee, you would serve on the library board. For more information see the Alberta Library Trustees Association website <http://www.library-trustees.ab.ca/>. Application is made to the Board in the form of a letter to PO Bag 305, Didsbury or an email to [didsburylibrary@libs.prl.ab.ca](mailto:didsburylibrary@libs.prl.ab.ca). Appointments are made by the town council.

\* as a service volunteer, you can help work in the library, shelving books, building displays and helping with special projects or with programs. Apply at the library.

\* as a Friend of the Library, you would be a member of an organization formed for the purpose of raising money for the library. (See Inez Kosinski at the library to inquire about this.) For more information about Friends groups click here to go to the Friends of Canadian Libraries site.

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## Church Directory

The REVIEW is pleased to provide this Church Directory as a community service

### American Church of Canada St. Cyprian's

2037 - 24th Ave. Didsbury - 335-4664  
 Rev. Carole Armstrong  
 Sunday Worship 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.  
 Sunday School at 10:30 a.m.  
 Mid-week service every third Wednesday at 9:30 a.m.  
 St. Cyprian's is a small, friendly Christian Community who welcomes newcomers.

### Knox United Didsbury

1406 - 19th Avenue  
 Minister Nancy Nourse  
 Please join our church family for worship,  
 10 a.m. each Sunday.  
 Nursery Care available for infants and toddlers.  
 Sunday school provided for ages 3-17.  
 For information about mid-week programming for children, youth and adults please call 335-8373 or see our website at [www.knox-united.com](http://www.knox-united.com).

### Zion Evangelical Missionary Church

Corner Hwy. 582 & 20th Ave. Phone: 335-3629  
 Website: [www.zemc.org](http://www.zemc.org)  
 Colin Creighton, Youth Pastor  
 Christine Little, Children's Ministries Director  
 Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.  
 Worship Celebration 10:45 a.m.  
 Life Groups, Teen Activities & Children's Programs

### Bertha Mennonite Church

Didsbury, Alberta  
 5km S of the Didsbury Overpass,  
 8km E on Bertha Rd.  
 Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.  
 Sunday Worship Service - 11 a.m.  
 Pastor: Elwin Garland  
 For more information ph. - 335-4451

### Redeemer Lutheran

LUTHERAN CHURCH CANADA  
 1500 - 23 ST. • Rev. Robert Mohs  
 Church: 335-3161 / Res: 335-3656  
 Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. • Worship - 10:30 a.m.  
 Adult Bible Study Sunday - 9:30 a.m.  
 Holy Communion 1 & 3 Sunday 10:30 a.m.  
 Jr. & Sr. Youth, Women's & Seniors Ministry Group  
 Small Group Bible Study meetings throughout the week.

### St. Anthony's Catholic

2030 - 24 Ave. Didsbury  
 For more information please contact  
 Claude Baril - 335-3442  
 Catholic Women's League: Wendy MacKenzie 335-8507  
 Knight's of Columbus: Jim Myhre 335-3633

### Mountain View Evangelical Missionary Church

14 km East of Didsbury  
 Pastor John Lucas  
 Office: 335-4422 • Home: 335-8923  
 Morning Worship - 11 a.m. • Sunday School - 10 a.m.  
 For information concerning the weekly activities please call the Church Office.

### Chinook Winds Christian Centre

1710 - 14th Street Didsbury  
 SUNDAY CELEBRATION - 10 a.m.  
 Prophetic Worship and Bible Teaching for all ages  
 • Nursery Services •  
 Ph/Fax - 335-3551 • Email - [cwcc@airenet.com](mailto:cwcc@airenet.com)  
 Pastoral Team Richard & Beth Kope  
 SEE YOU AT THE CENTRE!

### West Zion Mennonite Church

South of Didsbury to sign - West 1.5 miles  
 Pastor Trevor Kriaka, info - 337-2020  
 Worship Service - 10:30 a.m.  
 Nursery available during service.  
 EVERYONE WELCOME!

If you would like to attend Mass in Olds but require a ride, we have parishioners willing to provide transportation.

Please call Wynne Wollen at 335-8891!

**SEE YOU IN CHURCH THIS SUNDAY**

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### SPECIAL FAMILIES RESOURCE ASSOCIATION

Support for families/caregivers of special needs children. Meetings now held on the 3rd Thurs. of every month in the Didsbury Hospital in the Educational Conference Room at 7 p.m. For more information contact Cindy at 335-4123.

### CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Meets the 2nd Thursday each month. For more info please call 335-3265.

**DIDSBURY TOPS** Take Off Pounds Sensibly! Come and join us every Wednesday evening. For more info call Stacey at 335-4487 or Rosemary 335-2835.

### DIDSBURY ENVIRONMENT BOARD

Meets once every month at the Town Office. For info call the Town Office 335-3391.

**BEAVERS** Tues. 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. at Eldon Foote Hall. Kids 5 to 7 years old, boys and girls welcome.

**TIME OUT** Child & Youth Clubs of Didsbury's Mom's Time Out and Dads Too program. At Didsbury neighborhood Place, Mondays 10-11:30 a.m. Call 335-4270

### KING HIRAM LODGE #21

Has its regular meetings at 8 p.m. every 2nd Tuesday of the month.

### ST. HILDA CHAPTER #27 O.E.S.

Has its regular meetings at 7:30 p.m. every 3rd Tuesday of the month. For info. Call Marg Steckler at 335-4281

### DIDSBURY SENIOR SUPPORT SERVICES

Co-ordinates assistance for seniors. Call 335-4391.

**DIDSBURY 5-0 SINGERS** 50 years of age or over? You are invited to join Tuesday evenings 7:00 p.m. at the Didsbury 5-0 Club 2500-15 Ave.

### DIDSBURY SHUTTLE BUS

Scheduled transportation for anyone on Wednesdays & Fridays 9 - 3. Please call day prior or by 8:00 a.m. for pick up. 507-0208. Wheelchair accessible. Sponsored by the Didsbury Lions Club.

**DIDSBURY ELKS LODGE** Supper Meeting - 4th Thursdays, Regular Meeting - 2nd and 4th Thursdays each month. Call 335-4676 for info.

**LEARNING DISABILITIES MTN.** View Chapter. Support and info for parents and teachers dealing with learning disabilities. For info call Susan at 335-3174.

**DIDSBURY MENTAL HEALTH CLINIC** - Provides free accessible mental health services. Which incl. assessments, individual family & group counselling & crisis intervention. Mon. to Fri. 8:30-4:00.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** Meetings Fridays 8:30 p.m. at the Masonic Hall, Didsbury, 21 Ave. and 21 St. For information call Colleen at 335-8484 or Rick at 335-9525.

### HALL RENTALS

**5-0 Club Hall Rentals.** For Hall rentals &/or info regarding the hall please call Bea Niedersteiner 335-3058.  
 To Rent Didsbury Elks Hall. Call Ray Vipond. 335-8082.

To Rent St. Cyprian's Anglican Church Hall, contact Myrna Watt 335-3745.

To Rent the Lone Pine Hall, which is located east of Didsbury, contact Jo-Anne Hannah at 335-4190.

To Rent Mountain View Community Hall for meetings, community events, family or group reunions call John 335-8860.

The Fallen Timber Community Hall offers an ideal place for quiet safety meetings or fabulous social activities. Please contact Esther McMullen for more info at 637-2270.

### SHARE A LITTLE MAGIC, YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

Spend one hour a week with a child at school. Have fun together - play games, shoot some hoops, draw, read or do crafts. Mentoring works! Call Mountain View Mentoring at 586-0110. Volunteers needed in Carstairs, Cremona, Didsbury, Olds & Sundre. Big Brothers Big Sisters of Innisfail.

**DIDSBURY LIFELINE** Emergency Response System - Shirley 335-3787, Don 335-4676.

**MOUNTAIN VIEW CHORALERS** invite you to sing with us 7 p.m. Mondays at the 5-0 club, 2500 15 Ave. 36th

**DIDSBURY ROYAL PURPLE #317** Regular meeting at 7:30 p.m., 2nd Wednesday of each month. For info call Sharon Wadel 335-3481 ttn

**ALANON:** For family and friends of alcoholics. Alice 556-5911, Reg 337-3762. ttn

**DIDSBURY AND AREA SUPPORT GROUP** For friends and families of people with Alzheimer Disease and other forms of dementia. Join us the last Tuesday of each month, 7-9 p.m. Aspen Ridge Lodge. 335-9848. ttn

**DIDSBURY & DISTRICT HEALTH SERVICES** **AUXILIARY** monthly meeting on the first Tuesday of each month at 2:00 p.m. in Unit 4 at the hospital. 44ttn

**OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS** 12-Step group for Compulsive Overeaters, meets on Thursdays at 7 pm at St. Francis of Assisi Anglican church, 130 Albert St., Airdrie. For more information call Deb at 948-0563 or Frankie at 335-3633. 05ttn

**3025 RCACC** Didsbury Army Cadets Youth 12-18 Monday 6:30 - 9:30. Elks Hall Main St. 559-8801. 44ttn

**PARENT LINK DROP IN PLAY CENTRE.** FREE playtime for parents and children ages 0-6yrs. Didsbury Neighborhood Place, Bay 2 - 2030 - 17 Ave. Open every Monday 1 pm-4:30pm & Tuesday 9am to Noon. Also Free Dad's & Kids Breakfast Playtime 1st and 3rd Sat. 8:30 am to Noon. Linda at 586-5466. ttn

**ADULT HALL WALKING** at Westglen School from 6:30pm to 7:30pm from Monday to Friday. Also free blood sugar testing on Mondays. For more information call Cindy at 335-9437. ttn

**DIDSBURY MUSEUM OPEN HOUSE** 10 a.m. - 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Tues and Wed. Sat. 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

**DIDSBURY & DISTRICT** Community bus is here to serve you. Your booking all Jan 335-3052, organized trips Bea at 335-3058 or Geb 335-3449. Very competent drivers.

**SINGLE SENIORS:** A singles group for 55+. Men and women - join us for this community group of friendship and fun. Snack provided. 4th Sat. of each month. 2 p.m. Knox United Church, 1406 19th Ave. Didsbury. 403-335-8373. ttn

**DIDSBURY YOUTH JUSTICE:** Didsbury Youth Justice Committee's next meeting is set for May 7, 2007 at 7 pm. All persons interested in volunteering and helping to work with the youth in our community are encouraged to come. For more info call 335-1975. Please call for location. ttn



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## 100. Obituaries

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### JAKOBSEN



Mary Ann Jakobsen slipped into the loving arms of her Lord & Savior in the early morning hour on Tuesday, April 3, 2007 at the age of 71 years.

Mary Ann was born in Didsbury May 22, 1935 to Dorris & Betty Wilson. Mary Ann put up a courageous fight with cancer but a cure was not to be. She is survived by her step-mother Hazel Wilson of Didsbury; two sisters Jean (Bob) Fulkerth of Didsbury, Shirley (Del) Fulkerth of Vermilion as well as her loved nieces and nephews, great-nieces and nephews her extended family Dennis (Linda) Todd and family of Okotoks, Cliff (Linda) and family of Rimbey as well as numerous friends. Mary Ann was predeceased by her husband, Henning, her parents, step-brother Norm and his wife Erma Mashinter of Calgary and great-nephew Wyatt. The family would like to thank Dr. Hoeve, the wonderful caring staff at the Olds Hospital, as well as the Mount View Lodge. Thank to all who were such a great part of her life. Memorial services were held on Monday, April 9, 2007 at 2:00 p.m. at the Knox United Church with Reverend Nancy Nourse officiating. Inurnment was held prior to the Memorial Service in the Didsbury Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made directly to the Canadian Cancer Society or the charity of choice. As a tribute to Mary Ann Jakobsen, a tree will be planted in the Heartland Tree Memorial Park, Olds. Heartland Funeral Services Ltd., Olds entrusted with arrangements. 403-507-8610.

### WOLLEN, HERMAN 1920 - 2007

Deeply missed, but fondly remembered, Mr. Herman Wollen of Didsbury AB, passed away peacefully in his sleep on Wednesday, April 4th 2007. The third child of Len and Esther Wollen, Herman was born on July 30, 1920 in Three Hills, AB. He worked 35 years in the oil industry with three of those years in Ecuador. With his charming and polite nature, many lifelong friendships were formed over the years. Herman was an avid sports fan, especially of hockey, golf and curling. He retired in 1989 to Didsbury to enjoy golf, his family and especially his bride Wynne (Moon), who he married in April 1947. A marriage blessed with 10 children, 30 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren. Herman has gone home to his maker and those of his family who wait for him there. We love and miss you: our husband, father, grandpa and "G - Pop". Herman is survived by his wife, Wynne of Didsbury AB; five daughters, Wendy (Dennis) Mackenzie of Didsbury, Brenda (Ross) Tyson of Edmonton, Penny (Bill) Laforge of Edmonton, Bonny (Brian) Hodgson of Edmonton and Faye (Rob) Holmberg of Carlisle ON; five sons, Brian of Fort McMurray, Tim (Meredith) of Calgary, Joi (Lorene) of Calgary, Cody (Brig) of Calgary, and Mark (Erica) of Airdrie. He is also survived by one brother Don of Ft. St. John BC and one sister Blitz Phillips of Didsbury. Herman was predeceased by his parents, three brothers, Louie, Vernor, Mervyn; two sisters Lena and Elsie; one son-in-law Bill, and two grandchildren Christopher and Bonny. A Catholic Funeral Mass was held on Monday, April 9, 2007 in Didsbury AB. A private family urn interment will take place at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in honor of Herman Wollen may be directed to the Heart & Stroke Foundation, 101, 5208 - 53 Avenue, Red Deer AB, T4N 5K2 or to the Alzheimer Society, 134, 1935 - 32 Avenue NE, Calgary AB T2E 7C8. Arrangements entrusted to Mountain View Funeral Chapels, 5226 - 46 Street, Olds Alberta (403) 556-3223. Proudly service the community for over 45 years.

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## 1005. Help Wanted

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## 130. Coming Events

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### Join the Didsbury Baseball Team!



Registration Didsbury  
Memorial Complex  
April 16th 6-7:30pm  
Contact Sharon at  
335-8344 for more  
information and  
registration. We start  
as soon as the fields  
dry up!

## 150. Birthdays/Anniversaries

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The Family of  
**John & Edna Edwards**  
invite you to celebrate their  
**50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary.**  
Saturday, April 21, 2007 at 1:00 pm  
at the Westcott Community Hall

No Gifts Please

For Information,  
Please Phone  
(403) 886-2143



## 190. Announcements

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### Bridal Shower

For Olanda Markowski  
(Chambers)

to be held on April 15, 07 at the  
5-0 Club from 2:00pm to 5:00pm.  
Everyone Welcome.



## 3100. Appliances/Furniture

**FRIDGE FOR SALE**  
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## 5110. Houses For Rent

**3 BEDROOM HOUSE** for rent in Didsbury. 2 bathrooms, attached garage, large fenced yard, pets okay. \$1200 plus utilities plus DD. Available April 15/07 or May 1/07. Call 250-319-3356.

## 1005. Help Wanted

### FULL TIME

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## 5130. Apartments For Rent

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## 5155. Shared Accommodations

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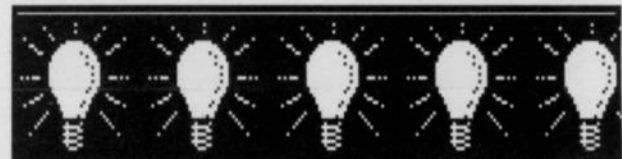
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3 bdrm house in Didsbury - \$450/mo + 1/2 utilities + dd. call Wendy (403)519-0109

## 5160. Condos For Rent

**DIDSBURY 3 BEDROOM**  
condo unit, 2 appliances, avail May 1. \$745 per month plus utilities. SD. No pets. References. Call Ed Furst of RE/MAX Mountain Aire Realty 403-507-3520.

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